



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

**SUZUKI, Noriyuki et al.**

Serial No.: **09/806,485**

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Group Art Unit: **1714**

Examiner: **Vickey M. RONESI**

P.T.O. Confirmation No.: **5936**

For: **RESIN COMPOSITION CONTAINING SILANE-TREATED FOLIATED  
PHYLLOSILICATE AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME (as amended)**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**  
**- EXPEDITED RESPONSE -**  
**GROUP ART UNIT 1714**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
Sir:

August 2, 2005

In response to the Office Action dated **April 4, 2005**, extended to **August 4, 2005**, by a **one-month** Petition for Extension of Time, entry of the following amendments and reconsideration of the rejections are respectfully requested:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.